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Re: New U.S. Patent Appln.
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a Continuation Application of pending PCT Application No. PCT/EP02/03707 filed on April 3, 2002 of:

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entitled: VEHICLE WITH INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE, FUEL CELL AND CATALYST

Enclosed are:

1. Application Data Sheet.
 2. Specification, including 20 claims (pages 1-9).
 3. 1 Sheet of drawings showing Figs. 1-2.
 4. Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.
 5. Assignment of the invention to BAYERISCHE MOTOREN WERKE AG.
 6. Certified copy of Priority Document 101 21 665.3 filed in Federal Republic of Germany on May 4, 2001, the priority of which is being claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 and 37 C.F.R. §1.55.
 7. Information Disclosure Statement w/7 references (plus International Search Report and German Office Action).

Benefit is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. §120 of pending PCT Application No. PCT/EP02/03707 filed on April 3, 2002.

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